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TRANSMITTAL LETTER FOR
SUPPLEMENTAL INFORMATION DISCLOSURE STATEMENT

Sir:

Transmitted herewith is a First Supplemental Information Disclosure Statement under 37 C.F.R. §§ 1.56 and 1.97; PTO-Form 1449 (in duplicate) and documents cited therein.

This First Supplemental Information Disclosure Statement is submitted more than three months from the application filing date and after the mailing date of the first Office Action on the merits, but before the mailing date of either a final action under 37 C.F.R. § 1.113, or a notice of allowance under 37 C.F.R. § 1.311.

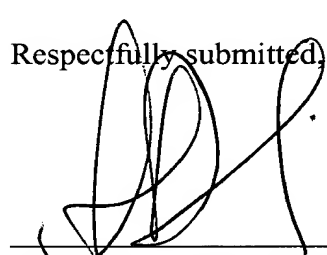
In accordance with 37 C.F.R. § 1.97, this First Supplemental Information Disclosure Statement under 37 C.F.R. §§ 1.56 and 1.97 is accompanied by:

☐ a certification as required under 37 C.F.R. § 1.97(e)(1) or § 1.97(e)(2);

☒ a check for \$180.00; the fee as set forth in 37 C.F.R. § 1.17(p).

The Director is hereby authorized to charge payment of any additional fees required in connection with the accompanying Supplemental Information Disclosure Statement, or credit any overpayment, to Deposit Account No. 06-1075. A duplicate copy of this letter is transmitted herewith.

Respectfully submitted,



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Pursuant to 37 C.F.R. §§ 1.56 and 1.97(c), applicants make of record the following documents, copies of which are submitted herewith:

Eck, M. J. and Sprang, S. R., "The Structure of Tumor Necrosis Factor- α at 2.6 Å Resolution," The Journal of Biological Chemistry 264: 17595-17605 (1989).

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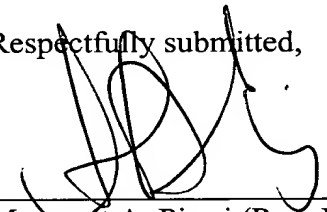
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For the Examiner's convenience, applicants have enclosed a completed Form PTO-1449, listing these documents.

Applicants respectfully request that the above-cited documents be (1) fully considered by the Examiner during the course of examination of this application and (2) printed on any patent issuing from this application. Applicants request that a copy of the enclosed Form PTO-1449, duly initialed by the Examiner, be forwarded to the undersigned with the next official communication.

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